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TO AMEMBASSY BELGRADE IMMEDIATE

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: BTRA, YO, US

SUBJECT: REPRESENTATIVE OF NEW MAGAZINE SEEKS MEETING  
WITH TITO

1. A MAN NAMED JOHN DEUSS, PUBLISHER OF A NEW PUBLICATION, CHIEF EXECUTIVE, WILL BE ARRIVING IN BELGRADE LATE ON JULY 26. ACCORDING TO DEUSS, THE MAGAZINE IS CIRCULATED TO A SELECT GROUP OF POLITICAL, BUSINESS, AND THEOLOGICAL LEADERS WORLDWIDE AND ITS FIRST EDITION INCLUDES STATEMENTS BY PRESIDENTS CARTER AND SADAT AND INTERVIEW WITH THE SHAH OF IRAN. DEUSS MADE INQUIRIES WITH BELOVSKI CONCERNING THE POSSIBILITY OF INTERVIEWING TITO, AND BELOVSKI INFORMED HIM THAT REALISTICALLY THE CHANCES WERE SMALL ALTHOUGH HE DID NOT EXCLUDE THE POSSIBILITY ALTOGETHER.

2. BARRING AN INTERVIEW, DEUSS WILL SEEK A STATEMENT FROM TITO AND HE WANTED OUR SUGGESTIONS FOR POTENTIAL  
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TOPICS. ALTHOUGH HIS MAGAZINE LOOKS LEGITIMATE, DEUSS DOES NOT APPEAR TO BE PARTICULARLY WELL PREPARED FOR HIS TRIP AND IS JUST NOW INITIATING AN INVESTIGATION OF RECENT YUGOSLAV POLICY AND STATEMENTS. DEUSS WILL ATTEMPT TO SOLICIT TOPIC PROPOSALS FROM YOU AND WILL

ALSO ATTEMPT TO ENLIST THE AMBASSADOR'S SUPPORT FOR HIS

PROPOSED MEETING WITH TITO. VANCE

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